## Section Three

## STATE & COUNTY ARREST SUMMARY

## **TOTAL ARRESTS BY AGE - 2002**

OFFENSES	UNDER 10	10-12	13-14	15	16	17	TOTAL Under 18	18	19	20	21
Murder	-	-	-	3	9	8	20	15	18	17	15
Rape	2	15	34	22	25	34	132	45	40	35	25
Robbery	7	79	285	251	284	366	1,272	344	313	233	174
Aggravated Assault	26	145	427	409	443	478	1,928	505	503	418	455
Burglary	44	189	500	392	400	494	2,019	451	348	259	208
Larceny-Theft	119	736	1,800	1,345	1,490	1,608	7,098	1,449	1,243	1,138	924
Motor Vehicle Theft	-	26	107	132	150	139	554	153	129	62	67
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	198	1,190	3,153	2,554	2,801	3,127	13,023	2,962	2,594	2,162	1,868
Manslaughter	-	-	1	-	1	1	3	1	1	-	2
Simple Assault	140	733	1,647	1,208	1,196	1,139	6,063	953	977	1,006	1,076
Arson	12	53	100	43	32	28	268	15	15	7	11
Forgery & Counterfeiting	-	1	3	12	18	47	81	70	104	114	108
Fraud	2	-	10	14	38	56	120	173	252	222	211
Embezzlement	-	-	1	-	4	9	14	19	13	11	8
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	15	97	401	391	504	529	1,937	576	485	381	328
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	125	531	1,020	727	761	770	3,934	465	343	259	275
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	47	167	396	348	364	373	1,695	399	384	316	279
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	-	1	12	2	12	13	40	64	82	97	130
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	29	58	167	86	66	66	472	66	61	57	63
Drug Abuse Violations	10	78	637	1,300	2,078	3,207	7,310	4,621	4,358	3,618	3,127
Gambling	-	4	10	14	28	34	90	63	83	105	45
Offenses Against Family and Children	4	3	9	3	12	15	46	144	197	197	297
Driving Under the Influence	-	-	6	22	40	280	348	628	844	880	1,170
Liquor Laws	7	9	238	445	884	1,436	3,019	1,549	1,493	1,201	452
Disorderly Conduct	114	526	1,590	1,303	1,417	1,427	6,377	1,076	1,008	887	1,114
Vagrancy	-	1	16	14	37	35	103	83	70	73	76
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	109	619	1,836	1,774	2,078	2,272	8,688	3,824	5,147	5,484	5,901
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	76	363	1,359	1,281	1,426	1,183	5,688	-	-	-	-
Runaways	130	380	1,317	1,078	1,061	601	4,567	-	-	-	-
GRAND TOTAL	1,018	4,814	13,929	12,619	14,858	16,648	63,886	17,751	18,511	17,077	16,541

## **TOTAL ARRESTS BY AGE - 2002**

22	23	24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65 AND OVER	TOTAL OVER 18	TOTAL ALL AGES
16	18	10	50	24	15	14	9	6	3	2	3	235	255
16	19	15	60	74	71	56	32	15	13	8	7	531	663
151	140	112	414	442	337	186	83	35	17	10	6	2,997	4,269
433	415	352	1,369	1,120	1,088	818	466	247	157	63	80	8,489	10,417
194	200	173	658	760	669	436	176	80	25	8	8	4,653	6,672
843	747	647	2,831	3,250	3,230	2,452	1,313	673	345	210	198	21,493	28,591
51	48	45	150	109	101	53	34	15	5	ı	3	1,025	1,579
1,704	1,587	1,354	5,532	5,779	5,511	4,015	2,113	1,071	565	301	305	39,423	52,446
4	2	-	4	4	1	4	-	-	1	-	1	25	28
1,093	1,046	986	4,073	3,981	4,131	3,335	1,859	920	430	247	252	26,365	32,428
8	7	5	27	14	24	22	17	6	3	5	3	189	457
106	94	78	422	297	227	169	103	61	27	11	12	2,003	2,084
225	231	180	804	915	817	715	391	218	110	57	91	5,612	5,732
5	14	11	16	23	17	15	10	7	-	1	2	172	186
277	248	201	768	633	544	313	166	59	38	20	12	5,049	6,986
225	192	182	577	485	530	416	204	76	34	16	20	4,299	8,233
274	225	185	629	383	365	250	157	86	57	34	41	4,064	5,759
120	116	116	417	515	496	309	122	65	30	10	15	2,704	2,744
57	53	39	193	207	247	191	145	82	72	54	46	1,633	2,105
2,847	2,544	2,070	7,202	5,966	5,339	4,031	2,178	982	363	108	82	49,436	56,746
35	52	47	96	31	15	19	11	6	6	6	5	625	715
375	363	435	2,473	3,080	3,396	2,672	1,510	711	343	98	33	16,324	16,370
1,177	1,062	1,012	3,928	3,492	3,708	3,704	2,734	1,621	950	467	414	27,791	28,139
406	325	247	753	452	367	308	189	85	44	22	14	7,907	10,926
1,069	916	847	2,576	2,073	2,093	1,777	997	504	253	109	138	17,437	23,814
65	86	70	268	364	360	289	197	75	37	14	7	2,134	2,237
6,116	5,746	5,891	20,406	19,015	18,681	14,255	8,161	4,015	1,952	789	726	126,109	134,797
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5,688
-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,567
16,188	14,909	13,956	51,164	47,709	46,869	36,809	21,264	10,650	5,315	2,369	2,219	339,301	403,187

## **COMPARISONS OF STATE ARRESTS – 2001/2002**

OFFENSES	2001	2002	Percent Change
Murder	261	255	-2
Rape	589	663	13
Robbery	4,049	4,269	5
Aggravated Assault	10,920	10,417	-5
Burglary	6,686	6,672	*
Larceny-Theft	29,734	28,591	-4
Motor Vehicle Theft	1,431	1,579	10
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	53,670	52,446	-2
Manslaughter	33	28	-15
Simple Assault	33,135	32,428	-2
Arson	500	457	-9
Forgery & Counterfeiting	1,790	2,084	16
Fraud	6,037	5,732	-5
Embezzlement	155	186	20
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	7,728	6,986	-10
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	8,314	8,233	-1
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	5,394	5,759	7
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	2,066	2,744	33
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	1,941	2,105	8
Drug Abuse Violations	55,451	56,746	2
Gambling	928	715	-23
Offenses Against Family and Children	16,445	16,370	*
Driving Under the Influence	29,004	28,139	-3
Liquor Laws	11,515	10,926	-5
Disorderly Conduct	24,839	23,814	-4
Vagrancy	2,054	2,237	9
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	125,735	134,797	7
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	5,537	5,688	3
Runaways	4,367	4,567	5
GRAND TOTAL	396,638	403,187	2

<sup>\*</sup>Less than one-half of one percent.

## **ARREST TRENDS BY AGE GROUP - 2001/2002**

	UND	ER 18 YEAF Of AGE	RS		EARS OF AG	iΕ
OFFENSES	2001	2002	PERCENT CHANGE	2001	2002	PERCENT CHANGE
Murder	25	20	-20	236	235	*
Rape	104	132	27	485	531	9
Robbery	1,176	1,272	8	2,873	2,997	4
Aggravated Assault	2,051	1,928	-6	8,869	8,489	-4
Burglary	1,922	2,019	5	4,764	4,653	-2
Larceny-Theft	7,478	7,098	-5	22,256	21,493	-3
Motor Vehicle Theft	486	554	14	945	1,025	8
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	13,242	13,023	-2	40,428	39,423	-2
Manslaughter	4	3	&	29	25	-14
Simple Assault	6,135	6,063	-1	27,000	26,365	-2
Arson	277	268	-3	223	189	-15
Forgery & Counterfeiting	84	81	-4	1,706	2,003	17
Fraud	205	120	-41	5,832	5,612	-4
Embezzlement	21	14	-33	134	172	28
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	2,202	1,937	-12	5,526	5,049	-9
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	4,051	3,934	-3	4,263	4,299	1
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	1,720	1,695	-1	3,674	4,064	11
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	17	40	135	2,049	2,704	32
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape & Prostitution)	468	472	1	1,473	1,633	11
Drug Abuse Violations	7,688	7,310	-5	47,763	49,436	4
Gambling	76	90	18	852	625	-27
Offenses Against Family and Children	52	46	-12	16,393	16,324	*
Driving Under the Influence	345	348	1	28,659	27,791	-3
Liquor Laws	3,229	3,019	-7	8,286	7,907	-5
Disorderly Conduct	6,586	6,377	-3	18,253	17,437	-4
Vagrancy	81	103	27	1,973	2,134	8
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	8,584	8,688	1	117,151	126,109	8
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	5,537	5,688	3	-	-	-
Runaways	4,367	4,567	5	-	-	
GRAND TOTAL	64,971	63,886	-2	331,667	339,301	2

<sup>&</sup>amp; Percent not calculated due to small volume.

<sup>\*</sup>Less than one-half of one percent.

## **TOTAL ARREST TRENDS BY SEX - 2001/2002**

	MALES									
OFFENSES	JUVEN UNDE		ADU OVE	JLT R 18	TO <sup>*</sup>	ΓAL	TOTAL MALE PERCENT			
	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002	CHANGE			
Murder	21	18	222	211	243	229	-6			
Rape	103	123	484	522	587	645	10			
Robbery	1,045	1,171	2,512	2,659	3,557	3,830	8			
Aggravated Assault	1,603	1,516	6,965	6,773	8,568	8,289	-3			
Burglary	1,769	1,842	4,330	4,214	6,099	6,056	-1			
Larceny-Theft	4,558	4,326	14,210	13,992	18,768	18,318	-2			
Motor Vehicle Theft	447	496	829	902	1,276	1,398	10			
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	9,546	9,492	29,552	29,273	39,098	38,765	-1			
Manslaughter	4	3	27	24	31	27	-13			
Simple Assault	4,151	3,963	20,837	20,191	24,988	24,154	-3			
Arson	247	246	190	151	437	397	-9			
Forgery & Counterfeiting	60	66	1,166	1,412	1,226	1,478	21			
Fraud	142	80	3,657	3,510	3,799	3,590	-6			
Embezzlement	9	10	69	107	78	117	50			
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	1,906	1,734	4,662	4,219	6,568	5,953	-9			
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	3,631	3,538	3,573	3,532	7,204	7,070	-2			
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	1,517	1,488	3,381	3,743	4,898	5,231	7			
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	12	19	626	913	638	932	46			
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	455	456	1,416	1,577	1,871	2,033	9			
Drug Abuse Violations	6,746	6,413	40,032	41,543	46,778	47,956	3			
Gambling	53	73	785	557	838	630	-25			
Offenses Against Family and Children	31	32	14,715	14,444	14,746	14,476	-2			
Driving Under the Influence	307	290	24,113	23,079	24,420	23,369	-4			
Liquor Laws	2,257	2,132	6,786	6,385	9,043	8,517	-6			
Disorderly Conduct	5,119	4,864	14,650	14,023	19,769	18,887	-4			
Vagrancy	71	80	1,309	1,425	1,380	1,505	9			
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	6,680	6,618	94,972	102,490	101,652	109,108	7			
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	4,268	4,245	-	-	4,268	4,245	-1			
Runaways	1,774	1,883	-	-	1,774	1,883	6			
GRAND TOTAL	48,986	47,725	266,518	272,598	315,504	320,323	2			

<sup>\*</sup>Less than one-half of one percent.

## **TOTAL ARREST TRENDS BY SEX - 2001/2002**

	FEMALES									
OFFENSES	JUVEI UNDE		ADU OVE		T01	ΓAL	TOTAL FEMALE PERCENT			
	2001	2002	2001	2002	2001	2002	CHANGE			
Murder	4	2	14	24	18	26	44			
Rape	1	9	1	9	2	18	&			
Robbery	131	101	361	338	492	439	-11			
Aggravated Assault	448	412	1,904	1,716	2,352	2,128	-10			
Burglary	153	177	434	439	587	616	5			
Larceny-Theft	2,920	2,772	8,046	7,501	10,966	10,273	-6			
Motor Vehicle Theft	39	58	116	123	155	181	17			
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	3,696	3,531	10,876	10,150	14,572	13,681	-6			
Manslaughter	-	-	2	1	2	1	&			
Simple Assault	1,984	2,100	6,163	6,174	8,147	8,274	2			
Arson	30	22	33	38	63	60	-5			
Forgery & Counterfeiting	24	15	540	591	564	606	7			
Fraud	63	40	2,175	2,102	2,238	2,142	-4			
Embezzlement	12	4	65	65	77	69	-10			
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	296	203	864	830	1,160	1,033	-11			
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	420	396	690	767	1,110	1,163	5			
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	203	207	293	321	496	528	6			
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	5	21	1,423	1,791	1,428	1,812	27			
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	13	16	57	56	70	72	3			
Drug Abuse Violations	942	897	7,731	7,893	8,673	8,790	1			
Gambling	23	17	67	68	90	85	-6			
Offenses Against Family and Children	21	14	1,678	1,880	1,699	1,894	11			
Driving Under the Influence	38	58	4,546	4,712	4,584	4,770	4			
Liquor Laws	972	887	1,500	1,522	2,472	2,409	-3			
Disorderly Conduct	1,467	1,513	3,603	3,414	5,070	4,927	-3			
Vagrancy	10	23	664	709	674	732	9			
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	1,904	2,070	22,179	23,619	24,083	25,689	7			
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	1,269	1,443	-	-	1,269	1,443	14			
Runaways	2,593	2,684	-	-	2,593	2,684	4			
GRAND TOTAL	15,985	16,161	65,149	66,703	81,134	82,864	2			

<sup>&</sup>amp; Percent change not calculated due to small volume.

<sup>\*</sup>Less than one-half of one percent.

## **TOTAL ARRESTS BY RACE - 2002**

		TOTAL ARREST	S BY RACE	
OFFENSES	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
Murder	91	160	0	4
Rape	362	289	2	10
Robbery	1,629	2,616	6	18
Aggravated Assault	5,532	4,742	7	136
Burglary	4,293	2,327	2	50
Larceny-Theft	17,805	10,215	47	524
Motor Vehicle Theft	874	698	0	7
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	30,586	21,047	64	749
Manslaughter	15	12	0	1
Simple Assault	20,420	11,552	38	418
Arson	325	124	0	8
Forgery & Counterfeiting	1,309	728	1	46
Fraud	3,796	1,791	9	136
Embezzlement	121	58	0	7
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	2,926	4,016	9	35
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	5,995	2,153	6	79
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	2,723	2,970	8	58
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	1,553	1,080	1	110
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	1,427	615	8	55
Drug Abuse Violations	28,878	27,522	39	307
Gambling	243	446	2	24
Offenses Against Family and Children	8,617	7,719	9	25
Driving Under the Influence	24,874	2,736	42	487
Liquor Laws	9,549	1,267	11	99
Disorderly Conduct	14,619	8,984	17	194
Vagrancy	932	1,279	2	24
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	71,348	62,146	168	1,135
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	2,445	3,216	0	27
Runaways	2,094	2,433	1	39
GRAND TOTAL	234,795	163,894	435	4,063

## **TOTAL ARRESTS BY RACE - 2002**

	ADULT ARRES	TS BY RACE			JUVENILE ARRES	TS BY RACE	
WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
87	144	-	4	4	16	-	-
290	231	2	8	72	58	-	2
1,223	1,760	4	10	406	856	2	8
4,657	3,703	7	122	875	1,039	-	14
2,967	1,653	2	31	1,326	674	-	19
13,511	7,539	40	403	4,294	2,676	7	121
619	399	-	7	255	299	-	-
23,354	15,429	55	585	7,232	5,618	9	164
14	10	-	1	1	2	-	-
17,246	8,690	35	394	3,174	2,862	3	24
132	55	-	2	193	69	-	6
1,247	711	1	44	62	17	-	2
3,714	1,755	9	134	82	36	-	2
112	54	-	6	9	4	-	1
2,283	2,731	6	29	643	1,285	3	6
2,985	1,272	2	40	3,010	881	4	39
1,832	2,178	7	47	891	792	1	11
1,538	1,056	1	109	15	24	-	1
1,173	400	8	52	254	215	-	3
24,588	24,567	30	251	4,290	2,955	9	56
194	408	-	23	49	38	2	1
8,582	7,708	9	25	35	11	-	-
24,542	2,723	42	484	332	13	-	3
6,720	1,109	8	70	2,829	158	3	29
11,076	6,195	16	150	3,543	2,789	1	44
900	1,208	2	24	32	71	-	-
65,871	59,044	159	1,035	5,477	3,102	9	100
-	-	-	-	2,445	3,216	-	27
-	-	-	-	2,094	2,433	1	39
198,103	137,303	390	3,505	36,692	26,591	45	558

## **ARRESTS BY ETHNIC ORIGIN - 2002**

	TO <sup>*</sup>	TAL	ADU	LTS	JUVENILES		
OFFENSES	HISPANIC	NON- HISPANIC	HISPANIC	NON- HISPANIC	HISPANIC	NON- HISPANIC	
Murder	53	202	50	185	3	17	
Rape	141	522	123	408	18	114	
Robbery	772	3,497	548	2,449	224	1,048	
Aggravated Assault	1,987	8,430	1,659	6,830	328	1,600	
Burglary	1,133	5,539	816	3,837	317	1,702	
Larceny-Theft	5,020	23,571	3,991	17,502	1,029	6,069	
Motor Vehicle Theft	269	1,310	166	859	103	451	
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	9,375	43,071	7,353	32,070	2,022	11,001	
Manslaughter	2	26	2	23	-	3	
Simple Assault	5,555	26,873	4,641	21,724	914	5,149	
Arson	49	408	32	157	17	251	
Forgery & Counterfeiting	517	1,567	510	1,493	7	74	
Fraud	729	5,003	704	4,908	25	95	
Embezzlement	40	146	36	136	4	10	
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	1,377	5,609	1,039	4,010	338	1,599	
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	1,138	7,095	651	3,648	487	3,447	
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	986	4,773	677	3,387	309	1,386	
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	650	2,094	643	2,061	7	33	
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	517	1,588	419	1,214	98	374	
Drug Abuse Violations	7,295	49,451	6,481	42,955	814	6,496	
Gambling	119	596	98	527	21	69	
Offenses Against Family and Children	1,857	14,513	1,853	14,471	4	42	
Driving Under the Influence	4,552	23,587	4,521	23,270	31	317	
Liquor Laws	937	9,989	696	7,211	241	2,778	
Disorderly Conduct	3,606	20,208	2,691	14,746	915	5,462	
Vagrancy	333	1,904	313	1,821	20	83	
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	18,436	116,361	17,156	108,953	1,280	7,408	
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	1,491	4,197	-	-	1,491	4,197	
Runaways	1,015	3,552	-	-	1,015	3,552	
GRAND TOTAL	60,576	342,611	50,516	288,785	10,060	53,826	

## **COUNTY ARRESTS BY ETHNIC ORIGIN - 2002**

	TO <sup>-</sup>	ΓAL	AD	ULTS	JUVEN	IILES
COUNTY	HISPANIC	NON- HISPANIC	HISPANIC	NON- HISPANIC	HISPANIC	NON- HISPANIC
Atlantic	2,776	16,762	2,258	14,221	518	2,541
Bergen	4,297	19,175	3,447	15,477	850	3,698
Burlington	1,126	19,119	998	16,638	128	2,481
Camden	4,778	27,321	2,964	20,714	1,814	6,607
Cape May	440	9,265	381	7,605	59	1,660
Cumberland	2,966	8,591	2,549	6,935	417	1,656
Essex	5,244	40,899	4,745	35,158	499	5,741
Gloucester	544	13,544	494	11,670	50	1,874
Hudson	9,525	20,884	7,978	18,767	1,547	2,117
Hunterdon	363	2,616	352	2,130	11	486
Mercer	3,280	26,509	2,656	22,176	624	4,333
Middlesex	5,318	20,688	4,715	18,239	603	2,449
Monmouth	2,799	28,656	2,533	24,423	266	4,233
Morris	1,729	11,296	1,543	9,553	186	1,743
Ocean	1,525	19,040	1,390	15,702	135	3,338
Passaic	7,097	14,529	5,581	12,089	1,516	2,440
Salem	262	4,463	235	3,950	27	513
Somerset	1,372	6,665	1,185	5,149	187	1,516
Sussex	186	4,699	163	3,962	23	737
Union	3,941	17,976	3,380	14,921	561	3,055
Warren	198	3,791	168	3,243	30	548

## **TOTAL ARRESTS BY COUNTY - 2002**

OFFENSES	Atlantic	Bergen	Burling- ton	Camden	Cape May	Cumber- land	Essex	Glou- cester
Murder	6	14	5	34	2	6	51	3
Rape	35	19	24	69	14	27	116	27
Robbery	204	201	135	250	50	187	948	89
Aggravated Assault	559	580	333	1,064	210	366	1,957	268
Burglary	306	405	369	477	193	439	886	222
Larceny-Theft	1,850	2,726	1,287	2,171	632	1,078	2,828	1,178
Motor Vehicle Theft	67	109	104	80	24	49	149	87
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	3,027	4,054	2,257	4,145	1,125	2,152	6,935	1,874
Manslaughter	2	1	1	2	1	-	5	3
Simple Assault	1,980	2,159	1,974	3,055	613	1,264	3,374	1,369
Arson	26	27	30	43	27	13	45	20
Forgery & Counterfeiting	106	166	116	176	30	81	180	71
Fraud	357	688	151	590	167	73	741	177
Embezzlement	1	55	4	30	-	3	2	-
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	199	472	288	517	88	192	1,837	188
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	442	553	439	657	254	240	787	319
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	271	291	208	371	85	135	1,244	97
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	292	68	18	47	5	35	547	8
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	87	193	47	112	45	84	250	69
Drug Abuse Violations	2,137	2,670	1,909	4,205	932	1,056	11,942	1,446
Gambling	240	3	7	1	-	1	35	3
Offenses Against Family and Children	854	880	1,091	1,229	405	24	173	902
Driving Under the Influence	1,902	2,561	1,608	2,537	868	958	1,018	1,231
Liquor Laws	192	673	452	570	2,032	62	330	454
Disorderly Conduct	921	1,509	537	1,642	811	540	2,675	587
Vagrancy	1	88	6	5	6	1	2,016	9
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	6,243	6,083	9,001	7,765	2,191	4,364	11,103	5,122
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	228	79	67	3559	6	279	97	111
Runaways	30	199	34	841	14	-	807	28
GRAND TOTAL	19,538	23,472	20,245	32,099	9,705	11,557	46,143	14,088

## **TOTAL ARRESTS BY COUNTY - 2002**

Hudson	Hunter- don	Mercer	Middle- sex	Mon- mouth	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somer- set	Sussex	Union	Warren
32	-	14	11	9	9	4	27	6	2	1	17	2
26	7	61	56	29	22	34	41	4	9	7	34	2
719	4	257	174	205	57	114	289	19	40	13	307	7
1,409	27	370	567	587	282	492	644	106	83	88	366	59
436	58	292	426	484	219	373	408	105	111	90	318	55
1,997	117	1,221	2,163	2,229	866	1,199	1,448	213	786	253	2,000	349
57	8	88	86	111	61	88	220	19	14	25	111	22
4,676	221	2,303	3,483	3,654	1,516	2,304	3,077	472	1,045	477	3,153	496
-	1	4	2	-	1	1	1	-	2	-	1	-
2,109	201	1,522	1,906	2,303	901	1,538	2,260	354	793	469	1,928	356
32	4	28	27	33	15	25	17	9	6	11	17	2
143	12	121	153	101	80	120	182	23	43	35	99	31
551	46	171	203	263	177	128	170	35	114	372	171	149
2	-	19	6	9	1	2	13	-	10	2	7	-
751	19	458	362	351	159	119	282	40	73	24	529	25
493	71	461	481	676	364	453	474	138	236	126	428	119
633	47	388	271	331	170	263	410	35	86	48	333	33
120	-	43	65	123	12	23	384	2	28	-	924	-
202	15	99	136	153	95	62	251	15	40	27	86	23
6,740	625	2,894	2,276	3,773	1,734	2,696	3,838	362	898	332	3,681	447
4	-	367	2	2	7	3	20	5	-	2	3	-
803	149	1,344	2,702	2,058	664	254	46	959	291	355	673	495
851	479	950	2,055	2,582	1,894	2,032	1,333	420	863	646	969	378
244	54	888	351	1,231	514	864	210	57	144	113	455	66
1,492	101	2,030	1,881	2,676	618	1,386	1,655	131	575	156	1,429	208
34	-	20	25	16	-	2	1	-	2	-	3	1
10,259	913	14,924	9,483	10,809	3,950	7,848	6,284	1,638	2,577	1,673	6,235	1,145
44	2	177	23	203	23	70	14	19	35	5	634	13
226	19	578	113	108	130	372	704	11	176	12	159	2
30,409	2,979	29,789	26,006	31,455	13,025	20,565	21,626	4,725	8,037	4,885	21,917	3,989

## **ADULT ARRESTS BY COUNTY - 2002**

OFFENSES	Atlantic	Bergen	Burling- ton	Camden	Cape May	Cumber- land	Essex	Glou- cester
Murder	6	14	5	26	2	6	48	3
Rape	25	14	18	54	13	20	97	24
Robbery	137	157	89	188	34	139	717	79
Aggravated Assault	449	482	265	835	169	303	1,626	237
Burglary	163	284	221	342	97	281	763	138
Larceny-Theft	1,375	2,102	1,004	1,631	341	703	2,465	808
Motor Vehicle Theft	45	77	74	52	11	35	87	53
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	2,200	3,130	1,676	3,128	667	1,487	5,803	1,342
Manslaughter	2	1	1	2	1	-	4	3
Simple Assault	1,650	1,824	1,651	2,504	536	990	2,864	1,165
Arson	10	8	11	19	5	6	21	9
Forgery & Counterfeiting	104	162	115	172	25	78	171	69
Fraud	349	670	143	584	164	67	728	173
Embezzlement	1	50	4	29	-	3	2	-
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	124	385	213	378	68	144	1,301	130
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	183	205	269	344	124	141	521	170
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	178	176	137	272	57	97	908	73
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	276	68	14	42	5	34	543	8
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	75	164	38	84	39	59	199	50
Drug Abuse Violations	1,824	2,218	1,560	3,630	706	924	10,808	1,213
Gambling	180	3	-	1	-	1	34	3
Offenses Against Family and Children	854	878	1,090	1,228	405	20	170	901
Driving Under the Influence	1,893	2,543	1,587	2,503	854	947	1,008	1,212
Liquor Laws	117	238	262	404	1,605	41	257	359
Disorderly Conduct	606	878	443	1,197	650	407	2,141	502
Vagrancy	-	84	2	3	4	1	1,960	9
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	5,853	5,239	8,420	7,154	2,071	4,037	10,460	4,773
GRAND TOTAL	16,479	18,924	17,636	23,678	7,986	9,484	39,903	12,164

## **ADULT ARRESTS BY COUNTY - 2002**

Hudson	Hunter- don	Mercer	Middle- sex	Mon- mouth	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somer- set	Sussex	Union	Warren
29	-	13	11	8	9	4	24	6	2	1	16	2
17	2	54	42	26	19	23	36	2	5	6	32	2
428	2	155	140	127	41	87	207	12	28	13	210	7
1,161	20	262	478	470	252	387	508	85	57	73	320	50
347	46	182	326	293	147	239	297	68	79	58	251	31
1,715	79	808	1,571	1,529	694	772	1,124	142	583	198	1,606	243
32	8	42	63	80	44	51	143	9	9	19	71	20
3,729	157	1,516	2,631	2,533	1,206	1,563	2,339	324	763	368	2,506	355
-	1	2	2	-	1	1	1	-	2	-	1	-
1,765	141	989	1,541	1,873	776	1,222	1,637	270	599	380	1,667	321
22	-	12	6	11	6	4	10	9	1	7	11	1
141	12	115	149	96	74	114	173	22	41	29	97	29
544	45	164	199	252	172	126	167	34	107	372	166	148
2	-	14	6	8	1	2	12	0	9	2	7	-
532	14	266	299	254	142	84	209	20	53	18	384	18
330	19	194	320	353	160	197	201	81	93	58	252	71
495	31	287	176	243	110	193	266	27	42	27	241	19
118	-	41	65	122	11	23	384	2	28	-	920	-
175	13	51	112	120	71	51	174	11	31	21	64	17
6,044	513	2,526	1,990	3,285	1,459	2,286	3,389	314	728	258	3,252	367
4	-	352	2	-	7	1	19	5	-	-	3	-
803	147	1,344	2,702	2,050	664	253	40	959	291	351	668	487
845	474	933	2,033	2,547	1,859	1,992	1,316	415	860	634	957	373
155	36	811	250	893	275	586	138	47	107	57	268	39
1,218	72	1,009	1,564	2,097	419	1,110	1,308	92	244	116	982	138
20	-	18	7	16	-	2	1	-	2	-	3	1
9,803	807	14,188	8,900	10,203	3,683	7,282	5,886	1,553	2,333	1,427	5,852	1,027
26,745	2,482	24,832	22,954	26,956	11,096	17,092	17,670	4,185	6,334	4,125	18,301	3,411

## **JUVENILE ARRESTS BY COUNTY - 2002**

OFFENSES	Atlantic	Bergen	Burling- ton	Camden	Cape May	Cumber- land	Essex	Glou- cester
Murder	-	-	-	8	-	-	3	-
Rape	10	5	6	15	1	7	19	3
Robbery	67	44	46	62	16	48	231	10
Aggravated Assault	110	98	68	229	41	63	331	31
Burglary	143	121	148	135	96	158	123	84
Larceny-Theft	475	624	283	540	291	375	363	370
Motor Vehicle Theft	22	32	30	28	13	14	62	34
SUBTOTAL INDEX OFFENSES	827	924	581	1,017	458	665	1,132	532
Manslaughter	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Simple Assault	330	335	323	551	77	274	510	204
Arson	16	19	19	24	22	7	24	11
Forgery & Counterfeiting	2	4	1	4	5	3	9	2
Fraud	8	18	8	6	3	6	13	4
Embezzlement	-	5	-	1	-	-	-	-
Stolen Property; Buying, Receiving, Possessing, etc.	75	87	75	139	20	48	536	58
Criminal/Malicious Mischief	259	348	170	313	130	99	266	149
Weapons; Carrying, Possessing, etc.	93	115	71	99	28	38	336	24
Prostitution and Commercialized Vice	16	-	4	5	-	1	4	-
Sex Offenses (Except Forcible Rape and Prostitution)	12	29	9	28	6	25	51	19
Drug Abuse Violations	313	452	349	575	226	132	1,134	233
Gambling	60	-	7	-	-	-	1	-
Offenses Against Family and Children	-	2	1	1	-	4	3	1
Driving Under the Influence	9	18	21	34	14	11	10	19
Liquor Laws	75	435	190	166	427	21	73	95
Disorderly Conduct	315	631	94	445	161	133	534	85
Vagrancy	1	4	4	2	2	-	56	-
All Other Offenses (Except Traffic)	390	844	581	611	120	327	643	349
Curfew and Loitering Law Violations	228	79	67	3,559	6	279	97	111
Runaways	30	199	34	841	14	-	807	28
GRAND TOTAL	3,059	4,548	2,609	8,421	1,719	2,073	6,240	1,924

## **JUVENILE ARRESTS BY COUNTY - 2002**

Hudson	Hunter- don	Mercer	Middle- sex	Mon- mouth	Morris	Ocean	Passaic	Salem	Somer- set	Sussex	Union	Warren
3	-	1	-	1	-	-	3	-	-	-	1	-
9	5	7	14	3	3	11	5	2	4	1	2	-
291	2	102	34	78	16	27	82	7	12	-	97	-
248	7	108	89	117	30	105	136	21	26	15	46	9
89	12	110	100	191	72	134	111	37	32	32	67	24
282	38	413	592	700	172	427	324	71	203	55	394	106
25	-	46	23	31	17	37	77	10	5	6	40	2
947	64	787	852	1,121	310	741	738	148	282	109	647	141
-	-	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
344	60	533	365	430	125	316	623	84	194	89	261	35
10	4	16	21	22	9	21	7	-	5	4	6	1
2	-	6	4	5	6	6	9	1	2	6	2	2
7	1	7	4	11	5	2	3	1	7	-	5	1
-	-	5	-	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	-
219	5	192	63	97	17	35	73	20	20	6	145	7
163	52	267	161	323	204	256	273	57	143	68	176	48
138	16	101	95	88	60	70	144	8	44	21	92	14
2	-	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	4	-
27	2	48	24	33	24	11	77	4	9	6	22	6
696	112	368	286	488	275	410	449	48	170	74	429	80
-	-	15	-	2	-	2	1	-	-	2	-	-
-	2	-	-	8	-	1	6	-	-	4	5	8
6	5	17	22	35	35	40	17	5	3	12	12	5
89	18	77	101	338	239	278	72	10	37	56	187	27
274	29	1,021	317	579	199	276	347	39	331	40	447	70
14	-	2	18	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
456	106	736	583	606	267	566	398	85	244	246	383	118
44	2	177	23	203	23	70	14	19	35	5	634	13
226	19	578	113	108	130	372	704	11	176	12	159	
3,664	497	4,957	3,052	4,499	1,929	3,473	3,956	540	1,703	760	3,616	578

## COMPARATIVE ARRESTS BY COUNTY 2001/2002

COUNTY	2001 TOTAL	2002 TOTAL	PERCENT CHANGE	2002 RATE PER 1,000 INHABITANTS
ATLANTIC	18,822	19,538	4	77.4
BERGEN	24,174	23,472	-3	26.6
BURLINGTON	20,480	20,245	-1	47.8
CAMDEN	32,180	32,099	*	63.1
CAPE MAY	9,346	9,705	4	94.8
CUMBERLAND	11,780	11,557	-2	78.9
ESSEX	45,419	46,143	2	58.1
GLOUCESTER	14,057	14,088	*	55.3
HUDSON	29,257	30,409	4	49.9
HUNTERDON	2,842	2,979	5	24.4
MERCER	32,360	29,789	-8	84.9
MIDDLESEX	26,312	26,006	-1	34.7
моммоитн	29,410	31,455	7	51.1
MORRIS	12,464	13,025	5	27.7
OCEAN	19,131	20,565	8	40.3
PASSAIC	19,451	21,626	11	44.2
SALEM	4,934	4,725	-4	73.5
SOMERSET	7,756	8,037	4	27.0
SUSSEX	4,557	4,885	7	33.9
UNION	21,527	21,917	2	41.9
WARREN	3,735	3,989	7	38.9

<sup>\*</sup> Less than one half of one percent.

## ADULT AND JUVENILE ARRESTS BY COUNTY MALE - FEMALE—2002

COUNTY	COUNTY TOT	AL ARRESTS	ADU	ILTS	JUVEI	NILES
COUNTY	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE	MALE	FEMALE
ATLANTIC	15,181	4,357	12,872	3,607	2,309	750
BERGEN	18,309	5,163	14,890	4,034	3,419	1,129
BURLINGTON	15,538	4,707	13,547	4,089	1,991	618
CAMDEN	24,533	7,566	18,544	5,134	5,989	2,432
CAPE MAY	7,607	2,098	6,311	1,675	1,296	423
CUMBERLAND	9,029	2,528	7,425	2,059	1,604	469
ESSEX	36,628	9,515	31,928	7,975	4,700	1,540
GLOUCESTER	10,951	3,137	9,505	2,659	1,446	478
HUDSON	25,869	4,540	22,897	3,848	2,972	692
HUNTERDON	2,338	641	1,951	531	387	110
MERCER	24,169	5,620	20,707	4,125	3,462	1,495
MIDDLESEX	21,126	4,880	18,887	4,067	2,239	813
моммоитн	24,789	6,666	21,354	5,602	3,435	1,064
MORRIS	10,378	2,647	8,882	2,214	1,496	433
OCEAN	16,332	4,233	13,825	3,267	2,507	966
PASSAIC	17,372	4,254	14,529	3,141	2,843	1,113
SALEM	3,731	994	3,303	882	428	112
SOMERSET	6,233	1,804	4,989	1,345	1,244	459
SUSSEX	3,640	1,245	3,043	1,082	597	163
UNION	17,403	4,514	14,547	3,754	2,856	760
WARREN	3,093	896	2,654	757	439	139

## **COUNTY ARRESTS BY RACE—2002**

		TOTAL ARREST	S BY RACE	
COUNTY	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER
ATLANTIC	11,218	8,007	17	296
BERGEN	17,505	5,056	52	859
BURLINGTON	11,856	8,200	14	175
CAMDEN	18,015	13,851	34	199
CAPE MAY	8,585	1,098	1	21
CUMBERLAND	6,470	5,066	7	14
ESSEX	11,752	34,173	23	195
GLOUCESTER	9,936	4,043	3	106
HUDSON	16,214	13,679	33	483
HUNTERDON	2,682	280	0	17
MERCER	9,354	20,260	8	167
MIDDLESEX	16,807	8,690	62	447
MONMOUTH	21,147	10,110	13	185
MORRIS	10,861	2,003	8	153
OCEAN	16,981	3,412	112	60
PASSAIC	13,575	7,886	22	143
SALEM	2,560	2,156	2	7
SOMERSET	5,439	2,503	10	85
SUSSEX	4,629	244	2	10
UNION	9,860	11,890	6	161
WARREN	3,613	357	1	18

## **COUNTY ARRESTS BY RACE—2002**

	ADULT ARRES	TS BY RACE		JUVENILE ARRESTS BY RACE					
WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER	WHITE	BLACK	AMERICAN INDIAN OR ALASKAN NATIVE	ASIAN OR PACIFIC ISLANDER		
9,490	6,700	14	275	1,728	1,307	3	21		
13,918	4,229	47	730	3,587	827	5	129		
10,156	7,315	14	151	1,700	885	-	24		
14,198	9,323	30	127	3,817	4,528	4	72		
7,072	902	-	12	1,513	196	1	9		
5,496	3,969	7	12	974	1,097	-	2		
10,501	29,206	22	174	1,251	4,967	1	21		
8,483	3,580	3	98	1,453	463	-	8		
14,174	12,086	32	453	2,040	1,593	1	30		
2,208	260	-	14	474	20	-	3		
7,777	16,899	7	149	1,577	3,361	1	18		
14,722	7,827	51	354	2,085	863	11	93		
18,117	8,680	10	149	3,030	1,430	3	36		
9,203	1,759	8	126	1,658	244	-	27		
13,976	2,963	101	52	3,005	449	11	8		
11,146	6,376	19	129	2,429	1,510	3	14		
2,285	1,892	2	6	275	264	-	1		
4,300	1,955	9	70	1,139	548	1	15		
3,898	218	2	7	731	26	-	3		
8,224	9,929	6	142	1,636	1,961	-	19		
3,077	320	1	13	536	37	-	5		

## POLICE DISPOSITION OF JUVENILES TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY COUNTY - 2002

(	COUNTY	HANDLED WITHIN DEPARTMENT & RELEASED	REFERRED TO JUVENILE COURT OR PROBATION DEPARTMENT	REFERRED TO WELFARE AGENCY	REFERRED TO OTHER POLICE AGENCY	REFERRED TO CRIMINAL OR ADULT COURT	TOTAL POLICE DISPOSITION OF JUVENILES
ATLANTIC	Number	750	2,242	11	5	51	3,059
	Percent Distribution	24.5	73.3	0.4	0.2	1.7	—
BERGEN	Number	1,969	2,509	31	15	24	4,548
	Percent Distribution	43.3	55.2	0.7	0.3	0.5	—
BURLINGTON	Number	473	2,101	-	10	25	2,609
	Percent Distribution	18.1	80.5	0.0	0.4	1.0	—
CAMDEN	Number	4,875	3,439	-	5	102	8,421
	Percent Distribution	57.9	40.8	0.0	0.1	1.2	—
CAPE MAY	Number Percent Distribution	424 24.7	1,294 75.3	- 0.0	0.0	1 0.1	1,719 —
CUMBERLAND	Number Percent Distribution	357 17.2	1,715 82.7	- 0.0	1	- 0.0	2,073 —
ESSEX	Number Percent Distribution	1,727 27.7	4,482 71.8	26 0.4	3 <b>♦</b>	2	6,240 —
GLOUCESTER	Number	545	1,274	-	5	100	1,924
	Percent Distribution	28.3	66.2	0.0	0.3	5.2	—
HUDSON	Number Percent Distribution	927 25.3	2,735 74.6	- 0.0	2 0.1	- 0.0	3,664 —
HUNTERDON	Number	179	303	-	1	14	497
	Percent Distribution	36.0	61.0	0.0	0.2	2.8	—
MERCER	Number	2,969	1,967	8	5	8	4,957
	Percent Distribution	59.9	39.7	0.2	0.1	0.2	—

## POLICE DISPOSITION OF JUVENILES TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY COUNTY - 2002

	COUNTY	HANDLED WITHIN DEPARTMENT & RELEASED	REFERRED TO JUVENILE COURT OR PROBATION DEPARTMENT	REFERRED TO WELFARE AGENCY	REFERRED TO OTHER POLICE AGENCY	REFERRED TO CRIMINAL OR ADULT COURT	TOTAL POLICE DISPOSITION OF JUVENILES
MIDDLESEX	Number Percent Distribution	619 20.3	2,418 79.2	2 0.1	2 0.1	11 0.4	3,052 —
MONMOUTH	Number	1,213	3,243	3	3	37	4,499
	Percent Distribution	27.0	72.1	0.1	0.1	0.8	—
MORRIS	Number	596	1,220	10	77	26	1,929
	Percent Distribution	30.9	63.2	0.5	4.0	1.3	—
OCEAN	Number	1,112	2,319	3	12	27	3,473
	Percent Distribution	32.0	66.8	0.1	0.3	0.8	—
PASSAIC	Number Percent Distribution	1,806 45.7	2,134 53.9	1	2 0.1	13 0.3	3,956 —
SALEM	Number Percent Distribution	39 7.2	500 92.6	0.0	0.0	1 0.2	540 —
SOMERSET	Number	664	877	156	2	4	1,703
	Percent Distribution	39.0	51.5	9.2	0.1	0.2	—
SUSSEX	Number	198	553	3	1	5	760
	Percent Distribution	26.1	72.8	0.4	0.1	0.7	—
UNION	Number	1,660	1,791	17	12	136	3,616
	Percent Distribution	45.9	49.5	0.5	0.3	3.8	—
WARREN	Number	61	496	-	11	10	578
	Percent Distribution	10.6	85.8	0.0	1.9	1.7	—
STATE	Number	23,200	39,612	271	174	597	63,886
TOTALS †	Percent Distribution	36.3	62.1	0.4	0.3	0.9	—

Percent distribution may not equal 100.0 percent due to rounding.

<sup>†</sup> Includes arrests by State agencies in unspecified counties.

<sup>♦</sup> Less than one-tenth of one percent.

## ARREST SUMMARY FOR NON-INDEX OFFENSES MANSLAUGHTER

#### **Definition**

The unlawful killing of a human being, by another, through gross negligence. Arrests relating to traffic fatalities are included.

- There were 28 arrests reported by law enforcement agencies for manslaughter during the year, a decrease of 15 percent when compared to 2001.
- Adults accounted for 89 percent and juveniles accounted for 11 percent of the arrests.
- Males accounted for 96 percent of the arrests and females four percent.
- Fifty-four percent of the persons arrested were white, 43 percent were black, and the balance were other races.
- The hispanic ethnic origin accounted for seven percent of the arrests and 93 percent were non-hispanic.

### SIMPLE ASSAULT

#### **Definition**

Simple assault, as defined under the New Jersey Uniform Crime Reporting System, is an assault or an attempted assault where no weapon is used and which does not result in serious or aggravated injury to the victim.

- There were 32,428 simple assault arrests in 2002, representing a decrease of two percent when compared to 2001.
- Of the total, 19 percent were juveniles and 81 percent were adults.
- Males accounted for 74 percent and females 26 percent of the persons arrested for simple assault.
- Sixty-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 36 percent were black, and one percent were other races.
- Seventeen percent of the persons arrested were hispanic and 83 percent were not of hispanic origin.

## **ARSON**

#### **Definition**

Under this program, arson is defined as the willful or malicious burning, or attempting to burn, with or without intent to defraud; a dwelling, house, building, ship or vessel, motor vehicle or aircraft, contents of building, personal property of another, etc..

- There were 457 arrests reported for arson offenses, a nine percent decrease compared to 2001.
- Juveniles accounted for 59 percent and adults 41 percent of persons arrested for arson.
- Eighty-seven percent of the total arson arrests were males while 13 percent were females.
- Seventy-one percent of the persons arrested were white, 27 percent were black, and two percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 11 percent of those arrested and non-hispanics accounted for 89 percent.

## FORGERY AND COUNTERFEITING

#### **Definition**

The definition of forgery and counterfeiting is the making, altering, uttering or possessing or attempting to make, alter, utter or possess, with intent to defraud, anything false which is made to appear true.

- There were 2,084 arrests reported during the year for forgery or counterfeiting, a 16 percent increase compared to 2001.
- Adults accounted for 96 percent and juveniles accounted for four percent of the arrests.
- Males accounted for 71 percent of the arrests and females 29 percent.
- Sixty-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 35 percent were black, and two percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 25 percent of the arrests and 75 percent were non-hispanic.

### **FRAUD**

#### **Definition**

In Uniform Crime Reporting, fraud is the fraudulent conversion and obtaining money or property by false pretenses. This includes bad checks, confidence games, etc., except forgeries and counterfeiting.

- There were 5,732 arrests reported during the year for fraud, a five percent decrease compared to 2001.
- Adult arrests represented 98 percent and juveniles two percent of the persons arrested.
- Males accounted for 63 percent and females 37 percent of the persons arrested for fraud.
- Sixty-six percent of the persons arrested were white, 31 percent were black, and three percent were other races.
- Thirteen percent of the persons arrested were hispanic and 87 percent were not of hispanic origin.

### **EMBEZZLEMENT**

#### **Definition**

The definition of embezzlement is the misappropriation or misapplication of money or property entrusted to one's care, custody or control.

- There were 186 persons arrested for embezzlement, a 20 percent increase compared to 2001.
- Ninety-two percent of those persons arrested were adults and eight percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 63 percent and females 37 percent of the persons arrested for embezzlement.
- Sixty-five percent of the persons arrested were white, and 31 percent were black, and the four percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 22 percent of those arrested and non-hispanics accounted for 78 percent.

## **STOLEN PROPERTY**

(Buying, Receiving, Possessing)

#### **Definition**

Included in this class are all offenses of buying, receiving, and possessing stolen property, as well as all attempts to commit any of these offenses.

- In 2002, there were 6,986 arrests reported for stolen property, a decrease of 10 percent compared to 2001.
- Of the total, 72 percent were adults and 28 percent were juveniles.
- Eighty-five percent were males and 15 percent were females.
- Fifty-seven percent of the persons arrested were black, 42 percent were white, and one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 20 percent of the arrests and 80 percent were non-hispanic.

## **CRIMINAL/MALICIOUS MISCHIEF**

#### **Definition**

Criminal/Malicious mischief is defined as the willful destruction, injury, disfigurement, or defacement of property without consent of the owner or persons having custody or control.

- There were 8,233 arrests for criminal/malicious mischief, a decrease of one percent compared to 2001.
- Of the total, 52 percent were adults and 48 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 86 percent and females 14 percent of the arrests.
- Seventy-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 26 percent were black, and one percent were other races.
- Fourteen percent of the persons arrested were hispanic and non-hispanics accounted for 86 percent.

## WEAPONS: CARRYING, POSSESSING, etc.

#### **Definition**

Under this program, this offense includes all the violations of regulations or statutes controlling the carrying, using, possessing, furnishing, and manufacturing of deadly weapons or silencers, and attempts.

- There were 5,759 arrests reported for weapon offenses, an increase of seven percent when compared to 2001.
- Of the total, 71 percent were adults and 29 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 91 percent and females 9 percent of those arrested.
- Fifty-two percent of the persons arrested were black, 47 percent were white, and one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 17 percent of those arrested and 83 percent were non-hispanic.

## PROSTITUTION AND COMMERCIALIZED VICE

#### **Definition**

Prostitution and commercialized vice are sex offenses of a commercialized nature and attempts. Included in this category are prostitution, keeping a bawdy house, procuring or transporting women for immoral purposes, etc..

- There were 2,744 prostitution and commercialized vice arrests during 2002, representing an increase of 33 percent when compared to 2001.
- Adults accounted for 99 percent, and juveniles one percent of the arrests.
- Thirty-four percent were males and 66 percent were females.
- Fifty-seven percent of the persons arrested were white, 39 percent were black, and four percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 24 percent of those arrested and 76 percent were non-hispanic.

### **SEX OFFENSES**

#### **Definition**

Sex offenses, as defined under the New Jersey Uniform Crime Reporting Program, do not include rape, prostitution and commercialized vice. Included in this class are offenses against chastity, common decency, morals, and the like; attempts are also included.

- There were 2,105 sex offense arrests during 2002, representing a increase of eight percent when compared to 2001.
- Adults accounted for 78 percent, and juveniles 22 percent of the arrests.
- Ninety-seven percent were males and three percent were females.
- Sixty-eight percent of the persons arrested were white, 29 percent were black, and three percent were other races.
- Twenty-five percent of the persons arrested were hispanic and 75 percent were not of hispanic origin.

## DRUG ABUSE VIOLATIONS

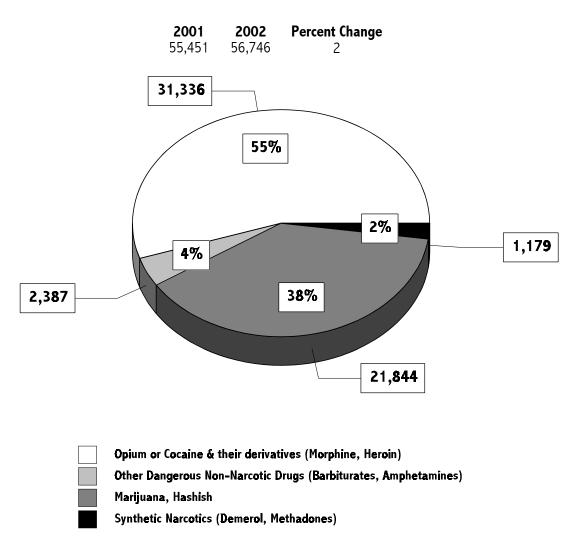
#### **Definition**

Under the program, drug abuse violations are defined as the unlawful sale/manufacturing/possession/use of the below listed narcotics and drugs:

- a. Opium or Cocaine and their derivatives (morphine, heroin, codeine).
- b. Marijuana, hashish, etc.
- c. Synthetic narcotics—manufactured narcotics which can cause true drug addiction—(demerol, methadones).
- d. Other—dangerous non-narcotic drugs (barbiturates, amphetamines, hallucinogens).
- There were 56,746 arrests reported by the law enforcement agencies of the state for drug abuse violations, an increase of two percent when compared to 2001.
- Adults accounted for 87 percent and juveniles 13 percent of the arrests.

- Thirty-five percent of persons arrested for drug abuse violations were under the age of 21.
- Males accounted for 85 percent of all the arrests while females accounted for the remaining 15 percent.
- Fifty-one percent of the persons arrested were white, 49 percent were black, and less than one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 13 percent of those arrested and 87 percent were non-hispanic.
- Arrests for possession/use of drugs accounted for 69 percent of the arrests, and the remaining 31 percent were for the sale/manufacturing of drugs.
- Arrests for opium or cocaine and their derivatives represented 45 percent of the possession/use category and 77 percent of
  the sale/manufacturing category. Overall, they accounted for 55 percent of the total drug abuse violation arrests.

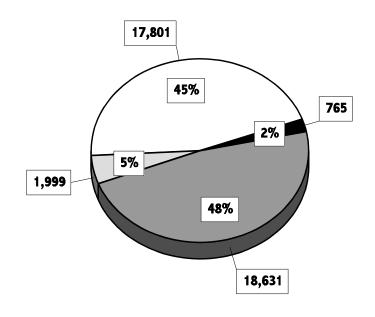
## 2002 TOTAL ARRESTS FOR ALL DRUG ABUSE VIOLATIONS



Percent distribution may not add to 100 due to rounding.

## 2002 ANALYSES OF DRUG ABUSE VIOLATION

POSSESSION/USE ARRESTS
2001 2002 Percent Change
39,276 39,196 \*



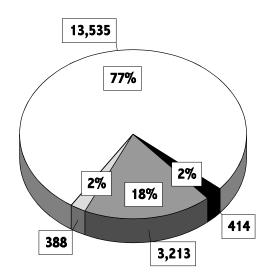
Opium or Cocaine & their derivatives (Morphine, Heroin)

Other Dangerous Non-Narcotic Drugs (Barbiturates, Amphetamines)

Marijuana, Hashish

Synthetic Narcotics (Demerol, Methadones)

SALE/MANUFACTURE ARRESTS
2001 2002 Percent Change
16,175 17,550 9



<sup>\*</sup> Less than one half of one percent.

# STATE OF NEW JERSEY FIVE YEAR RECAPITULATION OF POSSESSION/USESALE/MANUFACTURE DRUG ARRESTS 1998 through 2002

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Sale/Manufacture Arrests	•	•	•	•	•
Opium or Cocaine and their Derivatives	13,518	10,781	11,495	12,310	13,535
Marijuana and Hashish	3,047	2,974	3,189	3,114	3,213
Synthetic Narcotics (Demerol, Methadones)	205	313	290	342	414
Other Dangerous Non-Narcotic Drugs	344	432	495	409	388
TOTAL SALE/MANUFACTURE ARRESTS	17,114	14,500	15,469	16,175	17,550

#### **Possession/Use Arrests**

Opium or Cocaine and their Derivatives	23,099	20,462	18,201	17,186	17,801
Marijuana and Hashish	21,755	20,709	21,233	19,335	18,631
Synthetic Narcotics (Demerol, Methadones)	507	581	804	839	765
Other Dangerous Non-Narcotic Drugs	1,536	1,770	2,099	1,916	1,999
TOTAL POSSESSION/USE ARRESTS	46,897	43,522	42,337	39,276	39,196

## **Combined Drug Arrests**

Opium or Cocaine and their Derivatives	36,617	31,243	29,696	29,496	31,336
Marijuana and Hashish	24,802	23,683	24,422	22,449	21,844
Synthetic Narcotics (Demerol, Methadones)	712	894	1,094	1,181	1,179
Other Dangerous Non-Narcotic Drugs	1,880	2,202	2,594	2,325	2,387
GRAND TOTAL DRUG ARRESTS	64,011	58,022	57,806	55,451	56,746

## COMPARATIVE DRUG ARRESTS BY COUNTY 2001/2002

	SALE/MANUFACTURE ARRESTS			POSSESSION/USE ARRESTS			GRAND TOTAL		
	2001	2002	PERCENT CHANGE	2001	2002	PERCENT CHANGE	2001	2002	PERCENT CHANGE
ATLANTIC	344	446	30	1,659	1,691	2	2,003	2,137	7
BERGEN	397	443	12	2,248	2,227	-1	2,645	2,670	1
BURLINGTON	216	237	10	1,718	1,672	-3	1,934	1,909	-1
CAMDEN	656	569	-13	3,230	3,636	13	3,886	4,205	8
CAPE MAY	204	161	-21	837	771	-8	1,041	932	-10
CUMBERLAND	220	150	-32	869	906	4	1,089	1,056	-3
ESSEX	6,105	6,031	-1	6,194	5,911	-5	12,299	11,942	-3
GLOUCESTER	227	162	-29	1,342	1,284	-4	1,569	1,446	-8
HUDSON	2,836	4,291	51	2,500	2,449	-2	5,336	6,740	26
HUNTERDON	70	100	43	554	525	-5	624	625	*
MERCER	1,111	830	-25	2,174	2,064	-5	3,285	2,894	-12
MIDDLESEX	518	428	-17	2,049	1,848	-10	2,567	2,276	-11
MONMOUTH	375	402	7	3,439	3,371	-2	3,814	3,773	-1
MORRIS	174	209	20	1,307	1,525	17	1,481	1,734	17
OCEAN	542	520	-4	2,049	2,176	6	2,591	2,696	4
PASSAIC	1,276	1,627	28	2,282	2,211	-3	3,558	3,838	8
SALEM	78	62	-21	311	300	-4	389	362	-7
SOMERSET	62	118	90	614	780	27	676	898	33
SUSSEX	57	68	19	307	264	-14	364	332	-9
UNION	615	601	-2	3,078	3,080	*	3,693	3,681	*
WARREN	57	47	-18	374	400	7	431	447	4

<sup>\*</sup> Less than one-half of one percent.

## **GAMBLING**

#### **Definition**

Gambling violations are defined as the promoting, permitting or engaging in illegal gambling.

- There were 715 gambling arrests reported during 2002, resulting in a decrease of 23 percent compared to 2001.
- Eighty-seven percent of the arrests were adults and 13 percent were juveniles.
- Males represented 88 percent and females 12 percent of the gambling arrests.
- Sixty-two percent of the persons arrested were black, 34 percent were white, and four percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 17 percent of the arrests and 83 percent were non-hispanic.

## OFFENSES AGAINST FAMILY AND CHILDREN

#### **Definition**

The definition of offenses against family and children is the nonsupport, neglect, desertion or abuse of family and children.

- There were 16,370 arrests for offenses against family and children during 2002, representing a decrease of less than one-half of one percent from 2001.
- Less than one-half of one percent of the arrests were juveniles, and nearly 100 percent were adults.
- Males accounted for 88 percent and females 12 percent of the arrests.
- Fifty-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 47 percent were black, and less than one-half of one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 11 percent of the arrests and 89 percent were not of hispanic origin.

## DRIVING UNDER THE INFLUENCE

#### **Definition**

Under the New Jersey Crime Reporting Program, the offense of driving under the influence is defined as the driving or operating of any motor vehicle while drunk or under the influence of alcohol or narcotics.

- There were 28,139 arrests reported for driving under the influence in 2002, a decrease of three percent compared to 2001.
- Ninety-nine percent of the arrests were adults and only one percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 83 percent of the arrests while females accounted for the remaining 17 percent.
- Eighty-eight percent of the persons arrested were white, 10 percent were black, and two percent were other races.
- Sixteen percent of the persons arrested were hispanic and 84 percent were non-hispanic.

## **LIQUOR LAWS**

#### **Definition**

Included in this category are state or local liquor law violations, with the exception of "driving under the influence."

- There were 10,926 arrests reported for liquor law violations, a decrease of five percent from the previous year.
- Adults were responsible for 72 percent of the arrests while the remaining 28 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 78 percent of the liquor law arrests while females accounted for the remaining 22 percent.
- Eighty-seven percent of the persons arrested were white, 12 percent were black, and one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 9 percent of those arrested and 91 percent were not of hispanic origin.

## **DISORDERLY CONDUCT**

#### **Definition**

In this category are placed all charges of committing a breach of the peace (disorderly person).

- There were 23,814 arrests reported for disorderly conduct, a decrease of four percent from the previous year.
- Adults were responsible for 73 percent of the arrests while the remaining 27 percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 79 percent of the disorderly conduct arrests while females accounted for the remaining 21 percent.
- Sixty-one percent of the persons arrested were white, 38 percent were black, and the balance were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 15 percent of those arrested and 85 percent were not of hispanic origin.

### **VAGRANCY**

#### **Definition**

In this category are persons charged with vagabondage, begging, loitering, etc..

- There were 2,237 arrests in this category, an increase of nine percent from the previous year.
- Adults were responsible for 95 percent of the arrests while the remaining five percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 67 percent and females accounted for the remaining 33 percent of arrests in this category.
- Fifty-seven percent of the persons arrested were black, 42 percent were white, and one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 15 percent of those arrested and 85 percent were not of hispanic origin.

## **ALL OTHER OFFENSES**

#### **Definition**

Included in this category are all violations of state and local laws, except those offenses that can be categorized into one of the specific crime classifications previously mentioned.

- There were 134,797 arrests reported for all other offenses, an increase of seven percent from the previous year.
- Adults were responsible for 94 percent of the arrests while the remaining six percent were juveniles.
- Males accounted for 81 percent of the arrests while females accounted for the remaining 19 percent.
- Fifty-three percent of the persons arrested were white, 46 percent were black, and one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 14 percent of those arrested and 86 percent were not of hispanic origin.

## **CURFEW AND LOITERING LAW VIOLATIONS**

#### **Definition**

In this category are juvenile arrests made for violations of local curfew or loitering ordinances.

- There were 5,688 arrests reported for curfew and loitering law violations, an increase of three percent from the previous year.
- Males accounted for 75 percent and females accounted for the remaining 25 percent.
- Fifty-seven percent of the persons arrested were black, 43 percent were white, and less than one half of one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 26 percent of those arrested and 74 percent were not of hispanic origin.

## **RUNAWAYS**

#### **Definition**

For Uniform Crime Reporting purposes, this category is limited to juveniles taken into protective custody, under provisions of local statutes, as runaways.

- There were 4,567 runaway arrests reported, an increase of five percent from the previous year.
- Females accounted for 59 percent of the arrests while males accounted for the remaining 41 percent.
- Fifty-three percent of the persons arrested were black, 46 percent were white, and one percent were other races.
- Hispanics accounted for 22 percent of those arrested and 78 percent were not of hispanic origin.